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FATHER AND SON WEEK NOV. 11-18

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ASK SUNDAY SCHOOLS

Co-Operation In Movement—No Arrangements Yet For Banquet—Program Is Outlined

Father and Son week, which will be observed throughout the Nation, commences this Sunday and continues November 18, inclusive. Father and Son week is being sponsored locally by the Young People's Council of Nodaway County.

Every Sunday School in the county is asked to co-operate in this movement to promote the activity in each school.

A Father and Son banquet is usually held in Maryville but as yet no plans have been arranged. Leslie G. Somerville, county superintendent of schools, is county chairman.

A program for the observance of the week has been recommended by a committee of State Young People's Division Superintendents of the International Sunday School Council of Religious Education and jointly promoted by the International Sunday School Council of Religious Education and the International Committee of Young Men's Christian Associations.

The purpose of Father and Son week is three-fold: 1. To help the father to a better understanding and appreciation of his son; 2. to lead the boy into a more wholesome appreciation of his father and the home; and 3. to lead both father and sons to regard the Church and Church School as necessary to the finest development of their lives, and to secure their co-operation in the work and support of the Church.

The program as outlined:

Sunday, November 11 — Father's Day. Special church services and worship, at which time it has been suggested that the sermons in the churches consider the place of the father in the home as a friend.

Monday, November 12 — Sunday School class night. Boys host to their dads.

Tuesday, November 13—Home Service night. Father and son, partners in home relationships.

Wednesday, November 14—Church Home night. Extending the partnership into the churche's mid-week service.

Thursday, November 15 — Vocation night. Father considering the life calling of his son.

Friday, November 16—Father and Son banquet. An evening of fun and frolic.

Saturday, November 17—Recreation day.

Sunday, November 18—Son's day. Father and son, a partnership in Kingdom loyalty.

Two Months to Hunt Fur Bearing Animals

Fred Smith, county clerk, has just received the following communication from the state game and fish department:

To all county clerks.

Dear Sirs:

Owing to the fact that hunting licenses have printed upon the reverse side of them a table of seasons in which the dates for hunting game are no longer in force and that this fact confuses many persons, we wish you would use your pen to erase the word November from the season set forth for fur animals.

The legal season is only for the months of December and January.

The licenses as you know were printed and issued to County Clerks previous to the meeting of the legislature which changed the law. No other part of the game law was changed.

Yours very truly,

FRANK MIDDLETON, Commissioner.
E. T. GRETHER, Chief Deputy.

H. S. Girls' Team to Start Practice Soon

A meeting of all basketball girls was called this morning at the High School by Miss Lois Nash, the girls' basketball coach. Practice on goal shooting and the upbuilding of the physical conditfion will begin Monday. Fern Murray has been chosen captain of the team for this year.

Proclamation Issued for Game Next Friday

Savannah Mayor Requests All Citicents To Attend Game With Maryville Next Friday Afternoon

John K. White, mayor of Savannah, has issued a proclamation declaring next Friday afternoon a holiday in that city, the occasion being the football game between the Maryville and Savannah High School teams. The proclamation asks that all business houses be closed from 2 to 5:30 o'clock and that every citizen of the town be present at the game.

The Savannah Commercial Club has likewise issued a similar request.

Up to the present time, the Savannah team has piled up a combined score of 184 points in the five games played. Only one team, Benton High School of St. Joseph, has scored against the Savannah team. A number of Maryville persons will attend the game next Friday afternoon.

ARCHITECT SUBMITS BUILDING PLANS

FOR NEW COUNTRY CLUB TO BE BUILT SOON.

SELECT BUILDING SITE

Blue Prints to Be Completed in Week Says H. M. Siemans—Colonial Style Structure.

A proposed building plan for the new Club House to be constructed at the Country Club was submitted to the board of directors today. W. M. Siemans of the firm Siemans & Arnhold, architects at St. Joseph, was in Maryville today conferring with members of the Country Club and presented drawings for the proposed building.

He, with Harvey Haines, E. W. Keck and F. P. Reuillard, were out at the Country Club this afternoon selecting the site and laying out the stakes. The site that has been chosen is on a high spot that drains well, being about forty feet north of the well or about fifty feet southwest of green six. This green will be used as a practice green when the Club is built and another green made.

The specification for the Club as submitted by Mr. Siemans will probably be accepted with some changes. It calls for the main building, a frame structure, 31 by 60 feet, a 14 foot porch around three sides, the east side to be enclosed with glass. The dining room as the plans now specify will be on the east side of the building 14 feet wide and 50 feet long.

A large fireplace will be put in the south end. The building will be only one story above the ground with a basement underneath. Three sets of French doors can be opened out from the dining room on the porch for dances.

The style of the Club is Colonial and makes a most pleasing appearance as shown on the architect's drawing.

On the first floor will be the dining room, the kitchen and the woman's compartment. There will be three shower rooms in the basement for the men and one on the first floor for the women. Steel lockers will probably be installed. The water system is copied after the one used by a Country Club in St. Joseph. The Club will have its own water system, water to be furnished from wells.

Mr. Siemans said this afternoon that the blue prints will be completed within a week. As soon as the blue prints are finished and all the specifications mapped out, bids will be advertised and actual work is to commence as soon as the contract is let.

Interesting Program by Social Science Dept.

A very interesting program was given by the Social Science club last night at the auditorium in the old conservatory building. Short talks on present day subjects were given by various members of the club. The program was as follows:

Lloyd George's Recent Visit to the United States and its Significance—Robert Nicholas.

Some Phases of the Russian Situation—Vera Clark.

Agriculture in Russia — William Burr.

The Relation of the Consumers Buying Habits to the Methods of Marketing—Ira Young.

George Fast and Mr. and Mrs. Al Hurst of Burlington Junction were Maryville visitors today.

10 CHILDREN AT FIRST M. E. CHURCH

THIS MORNING TO BE PLACED IN NODAWAY COUNTY HOMES.

8 BOYS AND 2 GIRLS

Between the Ages of 2 and 12—Application for Children Must Be Made Through Local Committee.

Ten yawning boys and girls, who appeared tired from their long trip from New York, were in company with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Swan, representatives of the Children's Aid Society of New York, at the First Methodist Church at 10 o'clock this morning. Mr. and Mrs. Swan of Sedalia are here today for the purpose of placing these children in the homes of responsible Nodaway County persons who wish to take these orphan children.

There are eight boys and two girls that Mrs. Swan brought from New York, the youngest being a little boy nearly 2 years old and the eldest not over 12 years. Through varied circumstances these children were placed in childrens' institutions throughout New York State, having good training, and are now in Missouri with Mr. and Mrs. Swan.

At the Methodist Church this morning Mr. Swan gave a talk concerning the work he and his wife are doing, about the children and the conditions under which the children are placed in homes. Mr. Swan told of some of his experiences to the large number of men and wimen who had come to see the children. He made the statement that 87½ per cent of the children who are placed in homes make good and are a success, but that there are some who do not prove satisfactory, saying, "not all of these children turn out well," but asking the audience, "do all of yours?"

The ten boys and girls were mostly blonds. A group of three from one family, the girl 7 years, and the two boys 10 and 12 year; a baby almost 2 years; a red-headed boy by the name of Francis, who was unusually active, took the eye of many; a light haired boy, freckled and said to be a hard worker; two brothers; and another boy 8 years old; all were seated on the platform with Mrs. Swan. All the children were neat and well dressed and behaved exceedingly well for having to be seated for a considerable length of time.

Mr. Swan told those who were at the Methodist Church some of the conditions under which they permit a child to go into a home. At 11:30 o'clock he dismissed the audience and said those who wished to make applications should see the local committee. Mr. and Mrs. Swan and the children were again at the church at 2 o'clock this afternoon to make further arrangements.

Irby Files Suit to Collect Insurance

Asks Judgment For a Total Sum Of $910—Says Car Burned and Totally Destroyed

James Irby filed a suit in the office of the Circuit Court yesterday against the American Mutual Indemnity Association of Missouri, a corporation for a total sum of $910.

The plaintiff in his petition states that the defendant insured his Paige, four passenger sport model on May 9 of this year for the sum of $600 against loss by fire lightning, theft or robbery. It further states that this car was totally destroyed by fire July of which he duly notified the corporation that insured his car and that the concern has refused to pay.

The plaintiff prays judgment in the sum of $600, the amount of the insurance, $60, being 10 per cent of insurance and $250 for attorney's fees. The case will probably come up in the winter term of the Circuit Court.

No Session Court Today Convenes Tomorrow

There was no session of Circuit Court today on account of lack of business. Court will convene tomorrow to finish the remaining cases on the docket. All the cases left are merely court cases to come up before the judge.

Mrs. A. W. Neil of St. Joseph arrived in Pickering Wednesday to visit her mother, Mrs. Louisa Hinton. Mrs. Neil and her sister, Miss Louisa Hinton of Pickering, were shopping in Maryville today.

Garrett Will Lead Democrats in House

Was Floor Leader During Last Session—Oldfield of Arkansas May "Crack Whip."

Washington, Nov. 9.—Representative Finis Garrett of Tennessee has been agreed upon as Democratic leader of the House in the Sixty-eight Congress, it was learned today. He has been in Congress nine terms and was the floor leader in the last session.

Democrats will caucus on Saturday, December 1, two days before the opening of the session.

Representative Oldfield of Arkansas probably will again be appointed as Democratic whip.

The Democrats are planning to demand a representation of nine members on the important House committee, because of their large representation. In the last session, when the Democrats were in hopeless minority, there were six members allowed, but this year they will be in much better shape.

Bear Cats Trailing End Half by 7 to 3 Score

O'Banion Kicked Drop-Kick for Three Points—23 on Squad and Three Rooters.

BULLETIN.

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In the last quarter, Warrensburg scored another touchdown by the forward pass route. All the breaks of the entire game were in favor of Warrensburg.

FINAL SCORE: MARYVILLE, 3; WARRENSBURG 20.

At the end of the first half the S. T. C. Bear Cats were trailing the Warrensburg team by a score of 7 to 3. The Warrensburg men were the first to score making a touchdown and kicking goal in the first quarter. O'Banion kicked a drop kick from the center of the field for a goal for the fighting Bear Cats.

The line-up that started the game was as follows: le, Young; lt, Hays; lg, Pitman; c, Kirby; rg, Graham; rt Richards; re, Hay; qb, O'Banion; lhb Eads; fb, Foreman; rhb, Wilson.

Coach Lawrence took twenty-three men with him to defend the honors of the S. T. C. in the game with Warrensburg this afternoon.

James Todd, President Uel W. Lamkin and son, Billy were the only other Maryville rooters on the field.

The team secured the blankets purchased by the College in their stop at Kansas City.

The men who made the trip with Coach Lawrence are as follows: Foreman, Wilson, Hay, Thompson, OBanion, Kirby, Richards, Akars, Allan, Hartman, Pitman, Graham, Masters, Palmer, Mowery, Hays, Young, People Culp, Cox, Stone, Eads and Ashcroft.

Sustains Broken Hip.

Mrs. W. H. West, Sr., of Ravenwood broke her hip Sunday when she fell at the home of her son, F. S. West, in Ravenwood. As soon as her condition permits she will be brought to St. Francis hospital for treatment. She is the mother of Mrs. Stella Porter of Maryville.

Auto Accident

Chas. Rauchau had an auto accident early last Thursday morning and damaged his new Ford to the extent that a new top and wind shield was necessary.

Henry Staples of Burlington Junction had delivered the car to Mr. Rauchau, east of town, who was going to learn to drive it and take Mr. Staples home. In going down a hill just east of Skidmore, the car skidded a little and went into the ditch, breaking the wind shield and top. Mr. Rauchau and Mr. Staples were uninjured.—Skidmore News.

Warranty Deed.

John R. Plummer and wife to Bernice McLaughlin and wife, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, block six, original town of Burlington Junction. Consideration $1,500. This warranty deed was recorded this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Jameson had as their guests yesterday Mrs. Harry Adams and Mrs. A. B. Cameron, both of Stanberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brady of Stanberry are the parents of a son, born yesterday. Mrs. Brady was formerly Miss Clara Sherlock of Maryville.

Mrs. G. W. Houston of Stanberry is spending the week-end with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Shullenberger, and her sister, Mrs. W. E. Westfall, and family.

Mrs. Fay Campbell and Misses Chloe and Edith Campbell of Barnard were shopping in Maryville today.

A. M. Rasco and daughter of Barnard were in Maryville today.

SURPLUS OF MEN HIRED BY WALTON

ALDRICH BLAKE, FORMER EXECUTIVE, CHARGES.

RENDERED NO SERVICE

Continued Blake, But They Were Requested to Be Placed in Office by Governor Watlon.

Oklahoma City, Nov. 9—More than a dozen unnecessary employes were placed on the state pay-roll at the instance of Governor Walton, Aldrich Blake, former executive counsellor, told the impeachment court trying the governor, this morning.

Blake said that as far as he knew these men rendered no service of benefit to the state.

"While Governor Walton was out of the city, I removed twenty-nine employes of the state highway department's pay-roll," Blake added. "This was done when I was notified by that department that they had one-third too many employes and the appropriation was rapidly being depleted. Some of these men were replaced by the Governor on his return to the city."

Governor Walton frankly requested the highway, banking, game warden, board of affairs and health departments to place employes on their pay-rolls, the witnesses declared.

Blake knew of three men who were paid money out of the fund appropriated to apprehend Fred Dennis, missing state banking commissioner, who rendered, so far as he knew, no service in seeking Dennis.

This testimony was offered to back up the charge that Walton "willfully, unlawfully and wrongfully appointed a great number of his political and personal friends to lucrative positions for his own unauthorized assistance." These appointees rendered no service to the state, the prosecution charged.

Probate Appointments are Made Yesterday

Judge Jesse F. Robertson of the probate court made two probate appointments yesterday. They are:

In the estate of Dr. Stephen D. Large of Hopkins, who died October 30, his widow, Mrs. Susan Large was appointed executrix of the estate.

In the estate of Sanford C. Leech of Pickering, who died November 2, James C. Leech, a son of Maryville, was appointed administrator.

Lewis Giggar Dies Yesterday Afternoon

Lewis Giggar died at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at his home in Conception following an illness of heart trouble. He was about 45 years old and had been failing in health for some time. Funeral services will be held at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning at the Immaculate Conception Church and burial will be in St. Columbia cemetery. Surviving are his widow and six children, James, John, Nicholas, Paul, Mary and Margaret, all living at home.

LOCAL MEMBERS TO REBEKAH ASSEMBLY

Mrs. J. C. F. Taylor and daughter, Mary, Amos Sprecher, Mrs. Anna Stauble, Mrs. Joe Cornell, Mrs. J. M. Hantz, Mrs. Nettie Warren, Miss Dessa Gault, Mr. and Mrs. Marion F. Smith, Miss Bernice Orcutt, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Williams and Mrs. E. J. Pyles have gone to Barnard to attend the district assembly of the Rebekah Lodge. Other members will go for tonight's session. Election of officers will be held late this afternoon and the next meeting place will be selected.

Miss James To Columbia

Miss Minnie B. James went to Columbia today to visit her brother, Byron C. James, and to attend the Homecoming game between Missouri Tigers and Oklahoma Sooners tomorrow.

Returns From Des Moines

Mrs. Lee Strickler returned last night from an extended visit with her uncle, Dr. W. A. Shullenberger, and family, in Des Moines, Ia. While there she attended the Homecoming of Drake Univeristy and attended the inauguration of Dr. Morehouse as the new president of Drake University. Dr. Shullenberger presided at the inaugural ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Parshall of Quitman visited in Maryville today.

Schnabel Announces Assembly Program

A general high school assembly will be held at the third period Monday morning. The High School orchestra, under the direction of Loren Schnabel, will have charge of the program. The following program will be given:

Selection by orchestra — Belford's Carnival, Birds and Brook.

String Quartette—Forest Whispers.

Vocal Solo—Lavern Robey.

Orchestra selections—Prince Charming, Be Be, and Night Alarm.

INSURANCE RATES WILL BE LOWERED

ON FIRE, TORNADO AND HAIL, EFECTIVE DEC. 1.

15 PER CENT REDUCTION

Ben C. Hyde, Insurance Superintendent, Says That the Present Rates are Too High.

Jefferson City, Nov. 9. — Ben C. Hyde, state insurance superintendent, today issued an order that fire, tornado and hail insurance rates in Missouri be reduced 15 per cent, effective December 1.

Notice was sent to the Missouri rate bureau in St. Louis that the new rate must be put into effect.

Hyde, in a statement issued this afternoon, said the reduction was being ordered because present rates were too high. He said that many objections to present rates had been received. He cited one from C. W. Crossans, a Kansas City attorney.

The order today is one of a series of moves on the part of Hyde, a brother of the Governor, to lower insurance rates in the state. In January, 1922, he issued an order for a 10 per cent rate reduction.

Insurance companies went into court to contest the reduction, but when the matter came before the Supreme Court John I. Williamson, a Kansas City attorney and formerly judge of the Supreme Court, was appointed commissioner to hear evidence in the case.

Arrangements were made for Williamson to hold a hearing in Jefferson City in 1922 and before that date, the insurance companies had obtained a temporary court order restraining the commissioner from holding the hearing.

Hyde's order today is expected to result in additional litigation in the courts.

Increasing Gravity in Reparations Situation

Hughes Confers With Coolidge Regarding Relations Of Bavarian Revolt To Proposed Conference

Washington, Nov. 9—After a wavering uncertainty for the last ten days the British-American project of staging a new reparations conference to determine Germany's capacity to pay again appeared doomed to defeat this afternoon.

M. Jusserand, the French ambassador, made an appointment to see Secretary Hughes late today, and it is understood he will carry fresh instructions from Paris that the American ideas concerning the conference are not acceptable to the French premier.

Washington, Nov. 9—The increasing gravity in the European situation as revealed in the serious turn of events in the last twenty-four hours, caused considerable apprehension in governmental circles.

Secretary Hughes went to the White House this morning where he had a long conference with President Coolidge. Hughes is understood to have taken up with the President the new prospects of the Bavarian situation as related to the reparations conference in which this government has offered to participate.

The question is being asked today in official circles whether the proposed conference is now feasible at this time—at least, until the result of the German coup can be ascertained and appraised.

If two governments emerge from the present German Reich, it would materially alter the present situation.

Miss Mae Corwin went to Braymer and Polo today where she will organize extension classes for the State Teachers College.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Vance went to St. Joseph to spend the day.

BAVARIAN REVOLT IS BEING PUT DOWN

WAR MINISTRY AT MUNICH HAS BEEN CAPTURED

TREASON CHARGES MADE

Ludendorff and Hitler To Be Tried As Traitors To Government—Fighting In Munich Ceased

Berlin, Nov. 9—Official announcement has just been made that the Bavarian war ministry in Munich has been captured by the loyal Reichswehr. Ludendorff and Hitler were both taken prisoners. Hitler is reported wounded.

Fighting in Munich has ceased, according to reports received here late this afternoon. The losses in the fighting there were slight. Only one man was killed on the government side. Dr. Von Kahr is in control and the ministry has issued an order dissolving the Hitler party.

Charges of high treason were made against Ludendorff and Hitler.

(By International News)

The Bavarian national revolt appeared today to be collapsing within twenty-four hours after it was begun at Munich. Fighting was reported there between the Reich and Fascisti, in which General Ludendorff, one of the ringleaders, was wounded.

Conflicting reports were received over the actual fate of Ludendorff and Adolph Hitler, leaders of the Fascisti.

First news from Munich was that dissention had broken out and that Dr. Von Kahr, nationalist protector of Bavaria, had disavowed the revolt and ordered the arrest of Ludendorff and Hitler. Later, they were said to be in the hands of the Reich. Ludendorff had taken refuge in the Bavarian war office which was attacked by the federal troops.

Government officials said they were more hopeful this afternoon. They said they believed the Reich would remain loyal and command the situation.

At Stuttgart, soldiers and police attacked the Fascisti expelling them from the barracks and municipal buildings.

Paris, Nov. 9—The meeting of the interallied council of ambassadors, set for 5 o'clock this afternoon, to deal with the Bavarian revolt, has been indefinitely postponed after receipt of the news that the uprising had failed. The situation is said to be steadily improving.

Berlin, Nov. 9—Dissentions have broken out among the leaders of the Bavarian revolt and Dr. Von Kahr, who was proclaimed national protector of Bavaria, is said to have ordered the arrest of Adolph Hitler, leader of the Fascisti, according to reports from the Bavarian Fronties this afternoon.

A later report said that Von Kahr had ordered the arrest of General Ludendorff, commander of the national Bavarian army.

London, Nov. 9—General Ludendorff and Adolph Hilter, leaders of the Bavarian Fascisti, barracaded themselves in the war office at Munich, which is now surrounded by the Reichswehr, loyal to Berlin, said a dispatch from Berlin this afternoon. It added that Herr Poehner of the rebel government was arrested.

"Drive It Yourself" Agency to Be Here

A "Drive-i-yourself" motor car station has been established here by H. P. Mooreman who was formerly associated with the Dysart Motor Co., at Maitland. He will be located here with the Maryville Auto Wrecking Co.

New Ford open and closed cars will be used in this service. Any person may go there and rent a car to drive any distance. He is his own driver and rates are made accordingly.

Nodaway Stock at St. Joseph

T. N. Niles, Blazer & Smith, Jno. Woolgar, Chas. H. Harnerker, H. S. Deer, Nodaway county, Mo., disposed of stock on todays market.—St. Joseph Livestock Journal.

THE WEATHER

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

Bible Thought for Today

A SAFE INVESTMENT.—He that hath pity upon the poor lendeth unto the Lord; and that which he hath given will he pay him again.—Prov. 19:17.

BODY TO DECIDE ON PROGRAM FOR RIVER NAVIGATION

St. Louis, Nov. 9—The adoption of a definite program which will absolutely assure the completion for navigation purposes of the Mississippi, Missouri, Ohio and Illinois rivers will be the aim of a convention to be held by the Mississippi Valley Association in Memphis, Tenn., November 22 and 23, according to James E. Smith of this city, who issued the call for the meeting.

A program of river work, made definite for the first time, will be the goal for which the convention will strive as the culmination of the interest and enthusiasm which has been aroused for inland waterway development. Having in mind the Mississippi Valley's success in increasing the national waterways appropriations from $13,500,000 to $43,800,000 in 1921, and from $27,625,760 to $56,590,000 in 1922, the association at its convention will devise measures which later will crystalize into legislative action to supply the federal funds necessary to complete the work on the four rivers.

"The years we have talked waterways," President Smith said in his talk at the convention. "We have made encouraging progress within the last two years. Yet the fact remains that there is not today a completed major waterway projected between the Allegheny and Rocky mountains. It is only by an extensive and determined expression of ideas that we can hope to arrive at the definite plan we expect to adopt.

"We must consider the fact that waterway interest is now at its peak, and that unless some definite plan is adopted at this time to assure the completion of these waterway projects we may lose time to assure the completion of these waterway projects we may lose the prestige and influence we now command and thus retard the restoration of water transportation for many years to come.

"The drousing man of the valley," Smith said in conclusion, "if they want the valley to grow and to develop its vast resources, must stop dreaming and get to work.

"DEAD TEXAN RETURNS TO COLLECT BONES AND INSURANCE

Greenville, Tex., Nov. 9—With the return here of H. H. Patton, who insured his life for $300,000 and was later "identified" by a collection of bones found beneath his demonished automobile, recalls vividly the night of his supposed death.

Patton was arrested in Arizona several weeks ago and has been returned here to face charges of arson. His trial led officers through the United States, Mexico and Canada.

Early in 1921 Patton appeared in Greenville in his expensive automobile in company with his son. They made themselves especially conspicuous throughout the day and at night started for Alba, Tex.

The following morning young Patton staggered into Greenville and fell unconscious on the floor of an all-night restaurant. Blood was streaming from half a dozen wounds. His body was burned and blistered.

He recovered sufficiently to declare feebly that at a certain bridge the elder Patton had missed a turn and the car plunged down an embankment, overturning.

"I could see the fire enveloping my father as I left," he said.

A hurried journey to the scene of the accident revealed the skeleton of the automobile and a few charred bones, a belt buckle, keys, and other metal trinkets known to have belonged to Patton.

A 50-gallon barrel that once contained lubricating oil was smoldering nearby. However, insurance operatives were inclined to believe the bones to be those of an animal. The search and chase of two years followed, terminating with Patton's arrest in Phoenix, Ariz.

He is also under indictment for a cotton gin fire at Emory.

Forumettes

As life is short,
Why not try to
Make the most of it
While we have it?

From what we read we must conclude the reason some of the movie people are stars is because they stay out all night.

Do you know of a more foolish expression than "spending money?"

Will Ford run, many are asking. We don't know but we know Fords will run.

Uncle Abner, the town philosopher, says there are probably just as many ways of succeeding as there are failing but we seem to have more trouble connecting with them.

"The fact that the skirts are long does not keep a resourceful flapper from letting the world know she wears silk stockings," the observer of the passer-by remarked to us the other day.

Perhaps the piles of tin cans in alleys will explain why so many husbands have bad digestion.

Why is it, we wonder, that what the other fellow is doing always seems more productive and pleasant?

Our idea of a finished liar is one who can give an answer right off without scratching his head.

There are some people so naturally dishonest that they try to look over somebody's shoulder in a correspondence school examination.

Many a housewife has found it is impossible to have both a jar of gold fish and a pet cat at the same time.

For all the jeers and jibes of the paragraphers we bet there are a lot of women in this day and age who know more about cooking than the cook book authors.

One of the varnished haired street bounders, who is somewhat of a philosopher in his shallow way, tells us that when a girl lets you kiss her on your first date you know she will let other fellows do the same thing.

Correct this statement: "I just paid for my coal and the ten tons cost me only $35."

The reason we notice that the days are shorter now is because the electric light bill is larger.

Louise, the stenographer, says her idea of an unfortunate marriage would be one where the girl married a man whose mother was a good cook.

We bet a prohibition agent, who suddenly was made rich by a legacy from some forgotten relative, would have a hard time making the public believe he got the money that way.

We don't know of anything that will make a normally even tempered man madder than to be called out of bed these frosty morning about 3 o'clock by a telephone bell and then be informed that the wrong number was called.

There is no better way under the sun for a married man to start a controversy and arouse a whole train of suspicions than to remark to his wife that some woman is good looking.

One of our physician friends was called to see a patient in the country. As he drove up to the house in his flivver the ducks in the yard set up their cries of "quack, quack." The farmer was on the porch waiting for the doctor. "I see my ducks have your number," he said.

A man remarked on the street the other day that he smelled fresh paint and a flapper standing nearby gave him a black look.

Let a poor man marry a rich woman and he will have a hard time convincing the world that it was a love match.

The average married woman thinks she is a reformer.

Vagrant Musings

Dead easy men often die hard.

If it is true that the unexpected always happens why not expect it?

The reason so many of us are always making bad breaks is because we think it is never too late to mend.

The greatest men usually realize how insignificant they are.

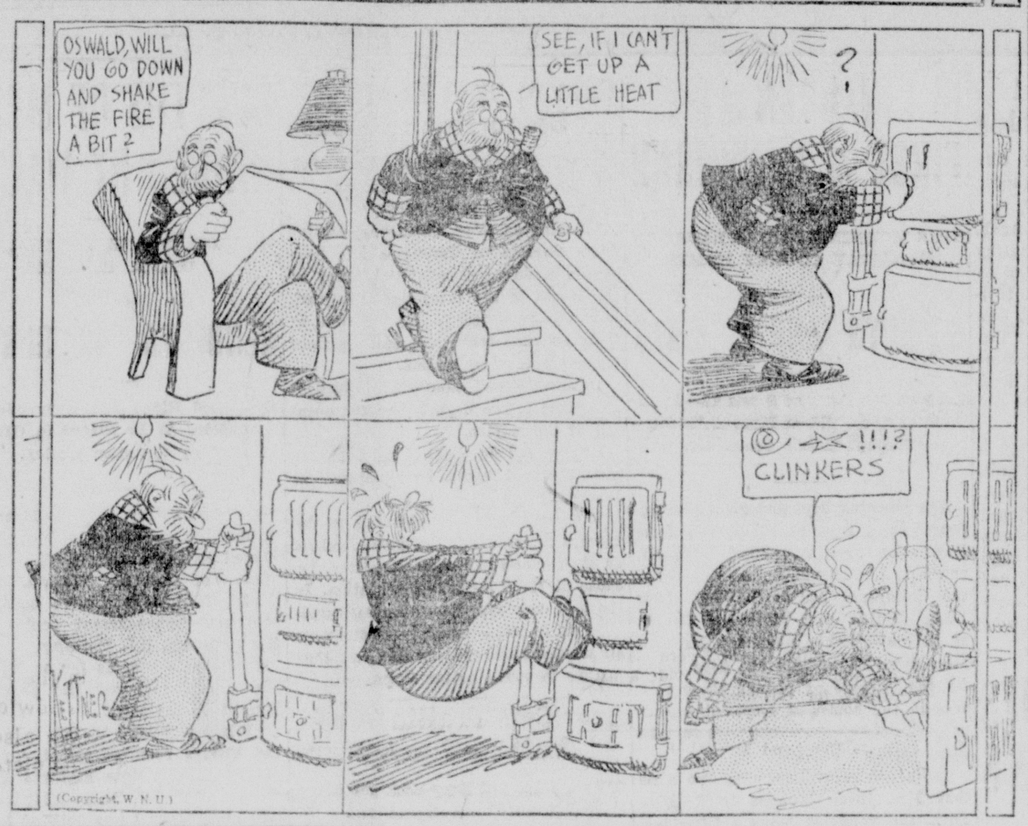
The fishes most of us would like to catch are too big for the hook.

Today's Vaudeville Patter

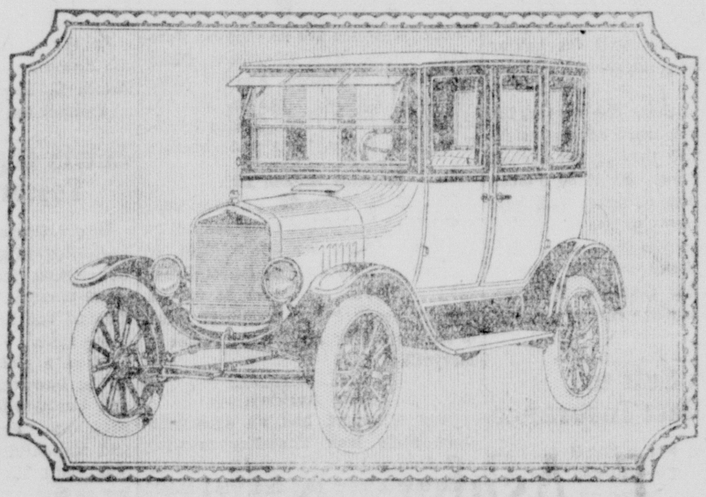
Biff—After sending your son to college and spending all the money you did on his education, it must have been very disappointing to have him run off with a chorus girl.

Bang—I should say it was. I had my eye on her myself.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.



Ford
Four-Door Sedan



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Shenandoah, Ia., Nov. 9—Sending the home town paper to friends in other cities as a means of boosting one's native city was advocated here by Evangelist William J. Lockhart in one of his adresses during an evangelistic campaign.

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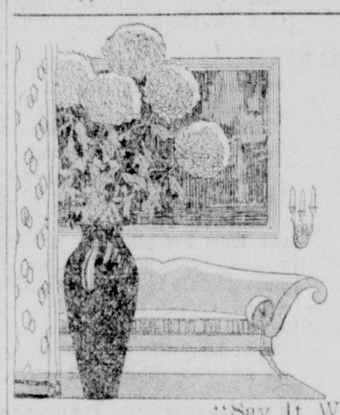

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SOCIETY

Entertain at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Thompson, 1119 North Mulberry street, entertained at 6 o'clock dinner Wednesday evening in honor of their son, H. G. Thompson of Spokane, Wash., who came Wednesday noon for a two weeks' visit. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. T. King, their daughter, Cleo King, and sons, Merrill, John, Carl and Forrest King, Mr. and Mrs. Halley Ford and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ford.

Byers-Shelton Wedding

Miss Mayree Byers of Burlington Junction and Harry Shelton of Winfield, Kansas, were married in the parlors of the First Christian church in St. Joseph on Tuesday, November 1. Rev. Chilton, pastor of that church, performed the ceremony. The witnesses were the bride's mother and sister, Mrs. Roy Byers and Betty Lou and Mrs. Guy Howell. The couple left at seven o'clock that afternoon for Winfield, Kansas, where they will make their home. The contracting parties are well known to Post readers. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Byers of this city and a highly respected young lady. The groom is the son of Mr. an Mrs. Guy Shelton formerly of this pl.ce but now of Winfield, Kansas, and is a splendid young man.—Burlington Junction Post.

Skidmore Frolickers Club

The Skidmore Frolickers Club was entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. F. Barber. A short business meeting was held and the rest of the time was spent in bridge. The hostess served dainty refreshments at the close of the games. Mrs. Harry Worl will be hostess to the club on November 20.

Merry Mingler Club

The Merry Mingler Club held its regular meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Wallace, with Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. Mary Edwards as hostesses. Various games were played and in a guessing contest Mrs. Henry Smock won the prize. Assisting the hostesses in serving refreshments were Mrs. Walter Dickie and Mrs. Lee Haigwood. Those present were Miss Mina Armstrong, Mrs. Mrs. V. W. Conley, Mrs. Henry Jeager Misses Minnie, Theresa, Bernadine and Margaret Jeager, Mrs. Joe Johnston, Mrs. A. Marsh, Miss Edith Marsh, Mrs. Elva McElwee, Miss Katherine Mercer, Mrs. Fisher Mercer, Mrs. Rube Ross, Mrs. Henry Smock, Mrs. Thomas Tallon, Miss Genevieve Tallon, Mrs. William Thornhill, Mrs. C. F. Ashford, Miss Thelma Ashford, Mrs. Lee Haigwood, Mrs. Charles Cox, Mrs. Bert Hilsabeck, Mrs. Walter Dickie and Joe Johnston.

Bloomfield Needlework Club

The Bloomfield Needlework Club held an all-day meeting yesterday at the home of Mrs. Allen Burks. The time was spent in quilting and at noon a cafeteria dinner was served. In the afternoon a business session was held and Mrs. Curtis Hull was taken in as a new member. Visitors at the meeting were Mrs. Joe Carrmichael, Mrs. Billy Burks, Mrs. Howard Null and daughter, Katherine, Misses Clara and Ethelyn Hanna and Alma Partridge. The members present were Mrs. J. H. Hanna, Mrs. Joseph Lamport, Mrs. Burley Swalley and son, Joseph Darl, Mrs. George Hantze, Mrs Byron Hanna and sons, Lester and Chester, Mrs. Edward Hanna and sons Curtis, Charles and Robert, Mrs. Bryan Hanna and son, Lawrence, Mrs. Charles Carmichael and son, Earl, Mrs. B. C. Clayton, Mrs. Anna Hollensbee, Mrs. John McClurg, Mrs. Earl McClurg and children, Cleta Ruth and Lloyd, Mrs. Lee Birkenholz, Mrs. Oland Ringold, Mrs. Dale Wiley and children, Herschel, Wilma and Edward Dale ,Mrs. Allen Burks and son, Billy, Mrs. Glade Wiley and daughter, Marceline, Misses Della McNeal and Neva McClurg. An afternoon meeting of the club will be held November 22 at the home of Mrs. John McClurg. Roll call will be answered by Bible quotations.

Entertain at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bosch entertained at 6 o'clock dinner last evening at their home on North Vine street. Plates were laid for Miss Mildred Hubbell of Ravenwood, Miss Mildred Bosch, Bryan Bosch and Doyle Moore of Pickering, and the hosts.

Entertain at Tacky Party

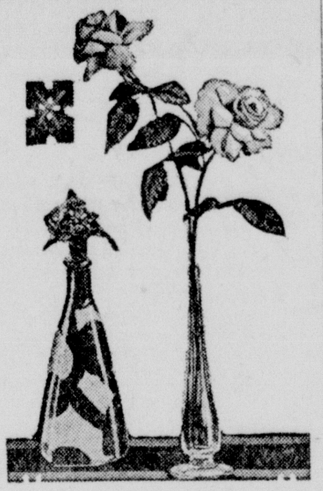
Mrs. Claude Neville, Mrs. Roy Parent and Mrs. Willis Parent entertained at a tacky party last night at the home of the latter when their guests were the members of the L. A. W. Club of the Myrtle Tree neighborhood their families and a number of additional friends. The guests came attired in rags and patches, the tackiest costume prize for couple was awarded Miss Audrey Looker and Claude Neville. The evening was spent in guessing contests and prizes were won by Mrs. Ray Taylor and Miss Anna O'Connell. The hostesses served a two-course luncheon. The club members and their families present were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dowden and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Parent and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Orr Kinman, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Neville, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Ferguson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Davis and family and Mrs. Roy Kelley. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adams and son, Mr. and Mrs. Guilford McKee and family, Mrs. John Belcher, Mrs. Willis Browning of Hopkins, Misses Anna O'Connell, Audrey Looker, Glayds Parent, Georgia Lund, Aileen Carmichael, Mary Carmichael, and Chris Moon, Cecil Lund, Sam Carmichael, David Acklin and Dennis Carmichael.

The next meeting of the club will be held November 22 with Mrs. Clarence Dowden when roll call will be responded to with Thanksgiving quotations.

Wesleyan Bible Class

Members of the Wesleyan Bible Class of the First Methodist Church assembled last night at the home of Mrs. Henry Wright, 315 South Main street, for their November meeting. The assisting hostesses were Mrs. Guy Haller and Mrs. C. E. Stilwell. The meeting opened with singing. Mrs. Stilwell read the scripture lesso nand Mrs. Haller led in prayer. Mrs. Stilwell was leader of the program and discussed the first chapter, "Our Children, and Orphanages and Children's Homes," from the text book, "American's Greatest Asset." Leaflets were read by Miss Emma Hull and Mrs. T. B. Mumma. The class decided to accept an invitation from Mrs. H. S. Dowell to meet at her home at 9 o'clock next Sunday morning to hear the radio sermon broadcast from Omaha. The regular Sunday School lesson will be dispensed with. The members will be dismissed in time to attend the regular morning service at the church. The class also voted to collect old papers and magazines and those who desire to contribute may notify Mrs. J. W. Herndon, Mrs. Warren Jones or Mrs. C. E. Stilwell. The December meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. M. M. Curnutt with Miss Mae Howland as program leader. The members and guests in attendance were Misses Byrd Briggs, Epha Drumm, Edna O'Neal, Emma Hull, May Howland, and Mrs. Beulah Bennett, Mrs. E. R. Miller and son, Richard, Mrs. J. W. Herndon, Mrs. W. W. Stanfield, Mrs. C. C. Leeson, Mrs. C. E. Stilwell, Mrs. T. B. Mumma, Mrs. Ellwood Barrett, Mrs. B. E. Truesdell and daughter, Lois, Mrs. Bert Cooper, Mrs. Steve Donahue, Mrs. F. A. McKee, Mrs. Emmett Scott, Mrs. Harry Hartness, Mrs. Warren Jones, Dr. and Mrs. C. C. James, Mrs. Roland Wray and Mrs. Charles Gaugh and daughter, Helen.

Homemade Furnishings



Exquisite, lifelike roses are made of fine crepe paper and set in millinery foliage and stems. Two or three shades of rose-colored paper are used and every petal carefully shaped and arranged. A rose or two, in a bud vase, makes a lovely gift.

Plain toilet-water bottles are painted in wonderful color blends, with sealing wax paints, and flowers made of tape and sealing wax provide a little nosegay for the stopper.

Mrs. Bell Hostess

Mrs. Charles T. Bell was hostess to the Benjamin Wright Chapter, Daughters of 1812, yesterday afternoon at her home on West Third street. The meeting opened with singing of "The Star Spangled Banner," and the regular business session. A program on "Romantic Americans" was given. Mrs. Bell told of Daniel Boone, a pioneer of civilization and based her talk on Stewart Edward White's, book, "Daniel Boone, Wilderness Scout."

The speaker had visited the old Boone homesite in western Pennsylvania. Miss Kate Willis spoke on Nathaniel Bacon, who was the instigator of Bacon's rebellion. The program closed with several Victrola numbers. During the social hour light refreshments were served. The Chapter will hold its next meeting January 10 with Mrs. Rebecca Gray and at that time "Allied Wars of 1812" will be the subject discussed.

Skidmore Successful Club

An all day meeting of the Successful Club was held yesterday at the home of Mrs. Jennie Oakerson, east of Skidmore. Devotions were led by Mrs. Mary Linville. Mrs. Oakerson gave a report of the convention of the First district, Missouri Federation of Women's Clubs, October 29-31 at Albany, which she attended as delegate. In answer to roll call the members gave suggestions on "How to Make Our Club Better." The club adjourned to meet December 13 at the home of Mrs. Leona Linville. Roll call will be answered by current events. The members present at yesterday's meeting were Mrs. Fannie Peters, Mrs. Leona Linville, Mrs. Mary Linville, Mrs. Lena Pfeiffer, Mrs. Ethel Wells, Mrs. Goldie Wells, Mrs. Phoebe Linville, Mrs. Gladys McDaniels, Mrs. Anna Dewitt, Mrs. Jennie Oakerson, and Miss Osa Shell. The guests were Mrs. Ray Pierson and children, Helen and Dorothy.

Hostess at Dinner

Mrs. Mamie Clardy had as her dinner guests today Mrs. A. L. McElvain, Mrs. Gladys Kinman, and Misses Esther McElvain and Helen Ferguson, all of Elmo. The Misses McElvain and Ferguson are students at the State Teachers College.

Eastern Star Meeting

The Eastern Star Chapter will meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the I. O. O. F. Hall. Visitors are always welcome.

Knabb Country Club

Members of the Knabb Country Club and their families were entertained at a wiener roast last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Nicholas. The guests later enjoyed indoor games and contests. In the automobile contest Mrs. Jesse Smith won the prize and the favor in the musical contest was awarded Charles Wells. Virginia Nicholas received the prize in the contest for children. About forty-five members and their families were in attendance.

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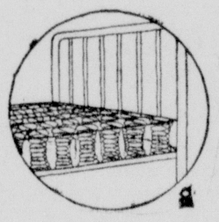

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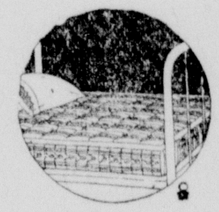

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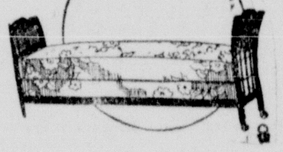

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CHAPTER VIII.—Jim has Christmas dinner at Colonel Woodruff's, and listening to him, Jennie begins to do some thinking concerning his ability and his prospects.

CHAPTER IX.—In the evening Jim, as well as he knows how, courts Jennie, without, however, making much progress, though she is quickly losing her poor opinion of him.

CHAPTER X.—Jennie, elected county superintendent of schools, receives so many complaints from people of the district concerning Jim's methods of teaching that she finds herself compelled formally to ask for his resignation. After she has left, Jim is visited by Colonel Woodruff, who strongly urges him to refuse to resign, and offers to back him. Jim agrees to stick, for a while at least.

CHAPTER XI.—A meeting of the school board, which had been gathered to "get" Jim, is confronted by Jennie, who upholds him. He conducts an examination of his pupils at the meeting, to prove that he is not neglecting their "book learning" by the introduction of other subjects which he considers of importance. The splendid showing made by the children converts many, who had doubted, to his views.

CHAPTER XII.—The novel ideas which Jim has introduced have been talked about outside the county, and he is visited by Professor Withers, extension lecturer at the state university, who invites him to deliver an address at the next annual meeting of the Farmers' Institute.

CHAPTER XIII.—Professor Withers is impressed by many of the innovations made by Irwin, and so informs Colonel Woodruff and Jennie, somewhat to the astonishment of both. The colonel suggests to Jim that he (the colonel) seek election to the school board, replacing Cornelius Bonner, implacable enemy of Jim Irwin.

CHAPTER XIV.—Feigning sickness, Newton Bronson, youngster whom Irwin has redeemed from idleness and folly and set on the right path, and who almost worships the teacher, keeps his father from voting at the school board election. Bronson is a friend of Bonner, and would have voted for him. As it is, Colonel Woodruff is chosen for the position, owing to Bronson's absence.

CHAPTER XV.—Jim convinces the farmers of the district of the advantages to be derived from a co-operative creamery, and it is agreed to establish one. His rise to a position of leadership in the community, and high responsibility, has made a distinct difference in Jennie's feelings toward Jim, which she is forced to acknowledge to herself.

CHAPTER XVI.—In his address at the Farmers' Institute Jim makes a distinctly favorable impression. After the meeting he is offered a position as teacher in another district, with a considerable advance in salary, and agrees to consider it.

CHAPTER XVII.—Jim's friends urge him to remain at his present post, leading citizens of the district assuring him that they are "proud of him."

CHAPTER XVIII.—At a public meeting "Old Man" Simms, Buddy's father, tells of the good he and his family have derived from Jim's teaching and suggestions, and captures the gathering.

CHAPTER XIX

A School District Held Up.

Colonel Woodruff was on his feet as Jim made his way through the crowd about the door.

"Mr. Irwin is here, ladies and gentlemen," said he, "and I move that we hear from him as to what we can do to meet the offer of our friends in Pottawatomie county; but before I yield the floor, I want to say that this meeting has been worth while just to have been the occasion of our all becoming better acquainted with our friend and neighbor, Mr. Simms. Whatever may have been the lack of understanding, on our part, of his qualities, they were all cleared up by that speech of his—the best I have ever heard in this neighborhood.

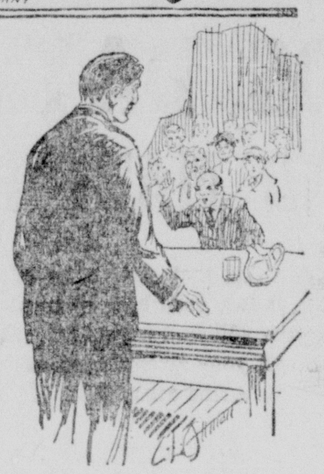
More applause, in the midst of which Old Man Simms slunk away down in his seat to escape observation. Then the chairman said that if there was no objection they would hear from their well-known citizen, whose growing fame was more remarkable for the fact that it had been gained as a country schoolmaster—he need not add that he referred to Mr. James E. Irwin. (More and louder applause.)

"Friends and neighbors," said Jim, "you ask me to say to you what I want you to do. I want you to do what you want to do—nothing more or less. Last year I was glad to be tolerated here; and the only change in the situation lies in the fact that I have another place offered me—unless there has been a change in your feelings toward me and my work. I hope there has been; for I know my work is good now, whereas I only believed it then."

"Sure it is!" shouted Con Bonner from a front seat, thus signalizing that astute wirepuller's definite choice of a place in the bandwagon. "Tell us what you want, Jim!"

"What do I want?" asked Jim. "More than anything else, I want such meetings as this—often—and a place to hold them. If I stay in the Woodruff District, I want this meeting to effect a permanent organization to work with me. I can't teach this district anything. Nobody can teach any one anything. All any teacher can do is to direct people's activities in teaching themselves. You are gathered here to decide what you'll do about the small matter of keeping me at work as your hired man.

"If I'm to be your hired man, I want a boss in the shape of a civic organization which will take in every man and woman in the district. Here's the place and now's the time to make that



"Tell Us What You Want, Jim."

organization—an organization the object of which shall be to put the whole district at school, and to boss me in my work for the whole district."

"Dat sounds good," cried Haakon Peterson. "Ve'll do dat!"

"Then I want you to work out a building scheme for the school," Jim went on. "We want a place where girls can learn to cook, keep house, take care of babies, sew, and learn to be wives and mothers. There's somebody right in this neighborhood able to teach anything the young people want to learn.

"And I want a physician here once in a while to examine the children as to their health, and a dentist to look after their teeth and teach them how to care for them. Also an oculist to examine their eyes. And when Bettina Hansen comes home from the hospital a trained nurse, I want her to have a job as visiting nurse right here in the Woodruff District.

"I want a counting-room for the keeping of the farm accounts and the record of our observation in farming. I want co-operation in letting us have these accounts.

"I want some manual training equipment for wood-working and metal working, and a blacksmith and wagon shop, in which the boys may learn to shoe horses, repair tools, design buildings, and practice the best agricultural engineering. I want to do work in poultry according to the most modern breeding discoveries, and I want your co-operation in that, and a poultry plant somewhere in the district.

"I want a laboratory in which we can work on seeds, pests, soils, feeds and the like. For the education of your children must come out of these things.

"I want these things because they are necessary if we are to get the culture out of life we should get—and nobody gets culture out of any sort of school—they get it out of life, or they don't get it at all.

"So I want you to build as freely for your school as for your cattle and horses and hogs.

"The school will make for you—this new kind of rural school—a social life which will be the social center, because it will be the educational center, and the business center of the countryside.

"I want all these things, and more. But I don't expect them all at once. I know that this district is too small to do all of them, and therefore, I want a bigger district—one that will give us the financial strength to carry out the program I have sketched. This may be a presumptuous thing for me to propose. If you think so, let me go. But if you don't, please keep this meeting together in a permanent organization of grownup members of the Woodruff school, and by pulling together, you can do these things—all of them—and many more—and you'll make the Woodruff District a good place to live in and die in—and I shall be proud to live and die in it at your service, as the neighborhood's hired man!"

As Jim sat down there was a hush in the crowded room, as if the people were dazed at his assurance. There was no applause, until Jennie Woodruff, now seen by Jim for the first time over next the blackboard, clapped her gloved hands together and started it; then it swept out through the windows in a storm. The dust rose from stamping feet until the kerosene lamps were dimmed by it. And as the noise subsided, Jim saw standing out in front the stooped form of B. B. Hamm, one of the most prosperous men in the district.

"Mr. Chairman—Ezra Bronson," he roared, "this feller's crazy, an' from the sound of things, you're all as crazy as he is. If this fool scheme of his goes through, my farm's for sale! I'll quit before I'm sold out for taxes!"

"Just a minute, B. B.!" interposed Colonel Woodruff. "This ain't as dangerous as you think. You don't want us to do all this in fifteen minutes, do you, Jim?"

"Oh, as to that," replied Jim, "I just wanted you to have in your minds what I have in my mind—and unless we can agree to work toward these things there's no use in my staying. But time—that's another matter. Believe with me, and I'll work with you."

"Get out of here!" said the colonel to Jim in an undertone, "and leave the rest to your friends."

Jim walked out of the room and took the way toward his home. A horse tied to the hitching-pole had his blanket under foot, and Jim replaced it on his back, patting him kindly and talking horse language to him. Then he went up and down the line of teams, readjusting blankets, tying loosened knots, and assuring himself that his neighbors' horses were securely tied and comfortable. He knew horses better than he knew people, he thought. If he could manage people as he could manage horses—but that would be wrong. Horse management was despotism; man-government must be like the government of a society of wild horses, the result of the common work of the members of the herd.

Two figures emerged from the schoolhouse door, and as he turned toward his home after his pastoral calls on the horses, they overtook him. They were the figures of Newton Bronson and the county superintendent of schools.

"Dad wants you back there again," said Newton.

"What for?" inquired Jim.

"You silly boy," said Jennie, "you talked about the good of the schools all of the time, and never said a word about your own salary! What do you want? They want to know?"

"Oh!" exclaimed Jim in the manner of one who suddenly remembers that he has forgotten his umbrella or his pocket-knife. "I forgot all about it. I haven't thought about that at all. Jennie!"

"Jim," said she, "you need a guardian!"

"I know it, Jennie," said he, "and I know who I want. I want—"

"Please come back," said Jennie, "and tell papa how much you're going to hold the district up for."

"You run back," said Jim to Newton, "and tell your father that whatever is right in the way of salary will be satisfactory to me. I leave that to the people."

Newton darted off, leaving the schoolmaster standing in the road with the county superintendent.

"I can't go back there!" said Jim.

"I'm proud of you, Jim," said Jennie. "This community has found its master. They can't do all you ask now, nor very soon; but finally they'll do just as you want them to do. And, Jim, I want to say that I've been the biggest little fool in the county!"

(To be continued.)

LIBERTY DISTRICT, 156

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Farnan and son, Junior and Misses Grace and Helen Reardon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Maher and family.

A. D. Reardon and daughter, Grace spent the week end in St. Joseph visiting friends and relatives.

A. D. Reardon shipped a car load of hogs from Barnard last Wednesday. He was unable to get a car over the Chicago Great Western from Guilford so he had to take them to Barnard.

The school took the quarterly examination Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Another shipment of Library books was received last Tuesday but they came too late for use in the last quarter's work.

A large crowd of young folks attended the party given by Mr. and Mrs. Artie Cotter last Friday evening.

Manford and Raymond Nelson spent Sunday afternoon with David Maurice and Joe Reardon.

Mrs. Enoch Byergo and grandson, Forrest spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Nelson and family.

Roy Goforth spent Sunday afternoon with Herman Stalling.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schmidt spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Stalling and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Nielson spent Sunday with Mrs. Mathilda Mattson and sons.

Mrs. Dale Goforth and daughter spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Goforth and family.

W. H. Goforth, Dale Goforth and Chester Mathers shipped a car load of hogs to St. Joseph Tuesday.

Mrs. James Neilson and daughter spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Alvin Nelson.

Alvin Nelson, Enoch Byergo and James Aldridge shipped a car load of hogs to St. Joseph Wednesday.

Misses Rose, Dorothy and Agnes Stundon spent Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joesph Corrigan and family.

Joseph Maher and Clarence Corrigan spent Saturday evening in Guilford.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Mathers and family spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mathers.

Charlie and Noah Nelson spent Sunday afternoon at Bloom Brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Goforth spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Spohn of Whitesville.

Miss Cleste Taylor spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Stundon and family.

Golda Goforth was absent from school Tuesday.

Pickering

(By O. G. Null)

The community picnic held here last Saturday was a complete success in every way and was enjoyed by the largest crowd Pickering has had for some time.

A number of contests of various sorts were indulged in and good prizes were given the winners in the various events. The high school quartet rendered some vocal music which was greatly enjoyed and the high school basketball team played a team composed of former members of high school teams. The game was one of the best played here this season and resulted in a 22 to 20 victory for the older team. Another picnic is being planned for early next year and it may become an annual event.

Jesse Carter returned last Friday from Bloomington, Indiana, where he went with his parents and sister about three weeks ago. He reports a very muddy trip as they went but better weather after they arrived at their destination. Mr. and Mrs. James Carter and daughter will remain in Indiana for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. J ames Clayton and children and Mrs. Clayton and daughter, Ruth returned the first of the week from a few days' visit with relatives in the vicinity of Independence and Emporia, Kansas.

I. P. Carmichael of Hopkins visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Carmichael here on Thursday and also transacted some business with Pickering merchants.

Mrs. A. W. Neil of St. Joseph is visiting her mother, Mrs. Louisa Hinton and other relatives here this week.

O. G. Null spent last Sunday in St. Joseph at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Lester Ellis, returning home Monday at noon.

Mrs. C. R. Harmon, who has been in very poor health for the past two months, is considerably improved at this time and is now able to be up the greater part of each day. On last Sunday she was able to ride to the home of her mother, Mrs. Josephine Fakes, where she and Mr. Harmon spent the day in honor of the 29th anniversary of their marriage.

Frank Green, our township collector, received the taxbooks the first of the week and is ready to receipt for taxes. He can be found in the office room of the old hotel building.

In the passing of Sanford C. Leech last week this community lost one of its oldest and best known residents. Mr. Leech came to this community when a young man and spent the remainder of his life here. He was one of the stout hearted, courageous men who believed in his fellowmen and who was always willing to do his part in advancing the interests of the community. Peace to his ashes.

Albert Hinton and sons shipped a load of hogs of their own raising to St. Joseph on Thursday. Mr. Hinton accompanied the shipment to market.

Chas. Hinton, John Morris and a number of other farmers of Mozingo Valley vicinity also marketed hogs on Thursday.

The splendid weather this week is being greatly enjoyed by everyone and especially by those who have buildings under construction. Chas. Hollensbe and W. A. Burks are each plastering their new houses this week and Lewis Pistole is having the kellastone applied on his new bungalow. All three are hoping to get their houses completed before severe weather sets in.

SCHOOL NOTES.

The girls of the Hiking Club enjoyed a two mile hike out west of town Thursday evening. This is the first of a series of hikes to be taken. Those who went were: Katie Lett, Pauline Swinford, Crystal Copeland, Ruby Anthony, Hazel Scott, Eva Swaney, Pauline Loch, Miss Moore and Miss Kemper.

The boys' basketball team will play in the tournament in Maryville Saturday.

A number of the high school students attended the tabernacle meeting in Maryville Thursday evening.

Raymond Lett is back in school this week after a few days' absence on account of illness.

Harold Byerrum was absent Thursday.

Bobby Gex visited Wednesday and Thursday with his grandmother, Mrs. Kemper.

METHODIST CHURCH.

The barrel of fruit was sent to the hospital Thursday. There were fifty-one quarts and we thank the donors in the name of suffering humanity.

Evangelist Alfred Sturgeon begins a meeting at Tarkio this week and promises to be with us Dec. 4.

The Wesleyans are very busy preparing for their bazaar Dec. 1. They will have an all day meeting and quilting at the church lecture room Thursday, Nov. 15.

J. W. Wiley's class of boys will have charge of Sunday School next Sunday. They are a fine bunch of boys and will put over something worth while in their stunt.

Pastor Lane Douglas will preach at Myrtle Tree Sunday morning and at Pickering at 7:30 p. m. Come to prayer meeting Thursday evening. The meetings are growing in numbers and interest.

Christian Church

Another Sunday is about here and what have you done toward getting people to some to Sunday school? The invitation to Sunday school is extended to every man, woman and child in this community who does not go to Sunday school elsewhere. Sunday school at ten o'clock and preaching services at eleven o'clock.

The meeting here at Pickering will begin about December 1, 1923. Let us all work hard, work earnestly for that meeting, let us all be in the spirit of prayer for the unsaved of the community.

There will be services at the church on next Monday night. The speaker will be announced later.

Next Sunday being Armistice Day the theme of the morning sermon will be along that line. Do you believe in war? Come out to church next Sunday morning and hear the sermon on, "The Fallacies of War."

SINGREY DISTRICT, NO. 179

The materials for the improvement of the church are nearly all on the ground. Several teams have been hauling gravel. Those living on the east side are going to haul the sand. The blocks are nearly all hauled. It will be but a short time until all materials will be on the ground and the laying of the blocks will be begun soon. If the fine weather continues it will not be long until Bethany will be able to hold meetings in the church again. When completed Bethany will have a good church plant.

The ladies of the Bethany Church served lunch at the sale of Liege Jackson Thursday.

A number of the farmers of the neighborhood are busy getting up wood. They will saw it soon. Albre Miller is to do the sawing.

The books for this quarter's work have arrived and the pupils will have a better opportunity to read them than they had those of last quarter, since the books arrived but a week before examination.

The class in vitalized agriculture is studying feeds and feeding this week. This is a very interesting branch of the school curriculum.

Mr. and Mrs. Zach Thompson entertained the following guests last Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. Orus Thompson and daughter, Bessie, Mr. Francis Richey and daughter, Evelyn, Misses Dale Erby and Esther Gilbert of Maryville; Ruby, Bessie and Opal Gilbert, Denver Gilbert of Kansas City, Grant Kelley, Alvin, Willie and Arthur Richey, Charlie Ridlon, George and Millard Gilbert and Johnnie Latin of Maryville. The afternoon was spent in playing games and listening to music. A number of the party attended the 3 o'clock services at Centenary.

There was preaching at Centenary last Monday evening under the auspices of the Christian Church.

Quite a number of people from Bethany went to the services at Maryville last Sunday evening.

SLAIN DUCK LANDS IN FACE; MAY COST VISION

St. Louis, Nov. 9—One of the freakiest accidents in the lore of Missouri nimrods may cost the eyesight of Dr. Max C. Starkloff, City Health Commissioner.

Dr. Starkloff was shooting ducks near St. Charles when a flock flew over his head.

The commissioner shot one duck and was aiming at another when the first bird fell on him, striking him squarely in the face. The wing feathers of the duck pierced one of Starkloff's eyeballs and a hemorrhage in the eye followed.

Attending doctors hold out slim hopes that the eye may be saved.

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FOR SALE—U. S. Tires and tubes, at Malam's Garage, 207 North Market. 11tf

FOR SALE—Dark brown Leghorn cockerels and pullets; won sweepstakes on cockerel and pen 1922. Mrs. John Evans, Maryville. 9-12

FOR SALE—Few stock hogs, double immune, and some good calves. Glen Cooper, phone through Wilcox. 29tf

FOR SALE—Small heating stove, nearly new, 3 burner coal oil stove, two rockers, center table, bed room rug, twelve volume encyclopedia, several new comforts. Mrs. Anna M. Snyder, 616 East 4th St. 9-10*

FOR SALE—Duroc Herd boar, grandson of Pathfinder, also young boar, J. L. Clayton, Farmers phone, Pickering, Mo. 3-9*

FOR SALE—We have two good used electric washers, $20 and $30; also one good belt power washer with 1½ h. p. engine for $25. Call Lowry Hdw. Co. 9-12*

FOR SALE—Household goods Saturday at 120 South Main. Mrs. J. B. Morrison. 8-9

FOR SALE—Pure bred Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels, $1.00 each. Call or see Marie O'Day, Parnell. 9-12*

FOR RENT—Well improved 40 acres, seven miles southwest of Barnard. See H. Lemaster, 309 West Thompson. 9-13*

FOR SALE—good Duplex power seed grinder; cost $110; $20 gets it. A. C. Nicholas, both phones. 9-10

FOR SALE—Good six room house, located west of Main street; purchaser can have immediate possession; sold on terms. Also 200 acre Platte Valley farm for sale or exchange; priced at $100 an acre. See Allen Bros. 8-10

FOR SALE—2 suits and 2 overcoats, superior Cleaning Co. 9-12

FOR SALE—Some real nice Barred Rock Cockerels. Call or see Mrs. Frank Hall, R. F. D. 5, Maryville, Mo. 6-12*

FOR SALE — jersey cow giving milk. 324 E. Lawn Ave. 6-9*

FOR SALE—Ford truck and Buick Six touring. Farmers Auto Supply. 9-12*

FOR SALE—Stove wood at the farm, 2 miles north of Pickering. Walter Johnson. 7tf

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FOR RENT—Furnished modern suite of rooms on ground floor. Mrs. J. S. Caldwell, 515 N. Fillmore. 7-9*

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FOR RENT—4 room house modern except heat. Call Hanamo 4487. 8-9

LOST—Schaeffer fountain pen Thursday night. Leave at this office. 9-10*

WANTED—Middle aged woman for housekeeper. Call 303 West Fourth street of evenings; Hanamo 6472. 9-12*

LOST—Between 615 W. First and St. Patrick's school, old rose dress ornament. Call Farmers 168. 9-10*

FOR RENT—Heated garage in basement, 131 S. Main; Hanamo 4624. 9-12

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Card of Thanks

We wish to take this means of thanking our many friends for the sympathy and kind words during the illness, death and burial of our beloved father, Sanford C. Leech, also for the beautiful floral offerings.—The children.

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, Nov. 9. — CATTLE—Receipts, 4,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 31,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 7,000.

St. Louis, Nov. 9.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,500.
HOGS—Receipts, 14,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 500.

Kansas City, Nov. 9.—CATTLE — ceipts, 2,500.
HOGS—Receipts, 9,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000.

St. Joseph, Nov. 9.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000; top, $11.00.
HOGS—Receipts, 6,000; top, $7.25; 15c lower.
SHEEP—Receipts, 5,000; top, $12.25.

Todays Market

Leghorn springs per lb.	10c
Springs per lb.	13c
Ducks per lb.	14c
Geese per lb.	14c
Turkeys per lb.	30c
Eggs per dozen	41c
Cream, per lb.	44c
Hens per lb.	13 to 16c
Cox per lb.	6c
Hides per lb.	4c

UNION GROVE.

The county nurse and her assistant visited our school last Friday and made a very favorable report concerning the health of the children.

L. L. Livengood came out and brought us some new library books. We have added approximately fifty new books this year, and have several more ordered that have not come yet. Within the next two weeks we expect to have a new library case installed.

Our school took the county examinations last week and everyone passed with a fairly high average.

Mr. Abbott is building us a kitchen cabinet for use in our hot lunch room. He expects to have it finished in order that we may begin using it Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Calfee and son Clarence, motored to Knoxville, Iowa, Friday afternoon to spend the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. O. L. Thompson.

Donald Lamar was a Sunday visitor at the Fowler Hamilton home.

Mr. and Mrs. Aca Akin and family spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Marion Fine of Braddyville.

Dana Carpenter ate Sunday dinner with Elmer Orman and family.

C. C. Younger shipped two carloads of hogs to St. Joseph Tuesday.

Fowler Hamilton received three carloads of beef cattle last Friday morning.

The Art Club of the State Teachers College will meet Monday, November 12, at 7:30 p. m., at the home of Irene Lowry on South Buchanan.

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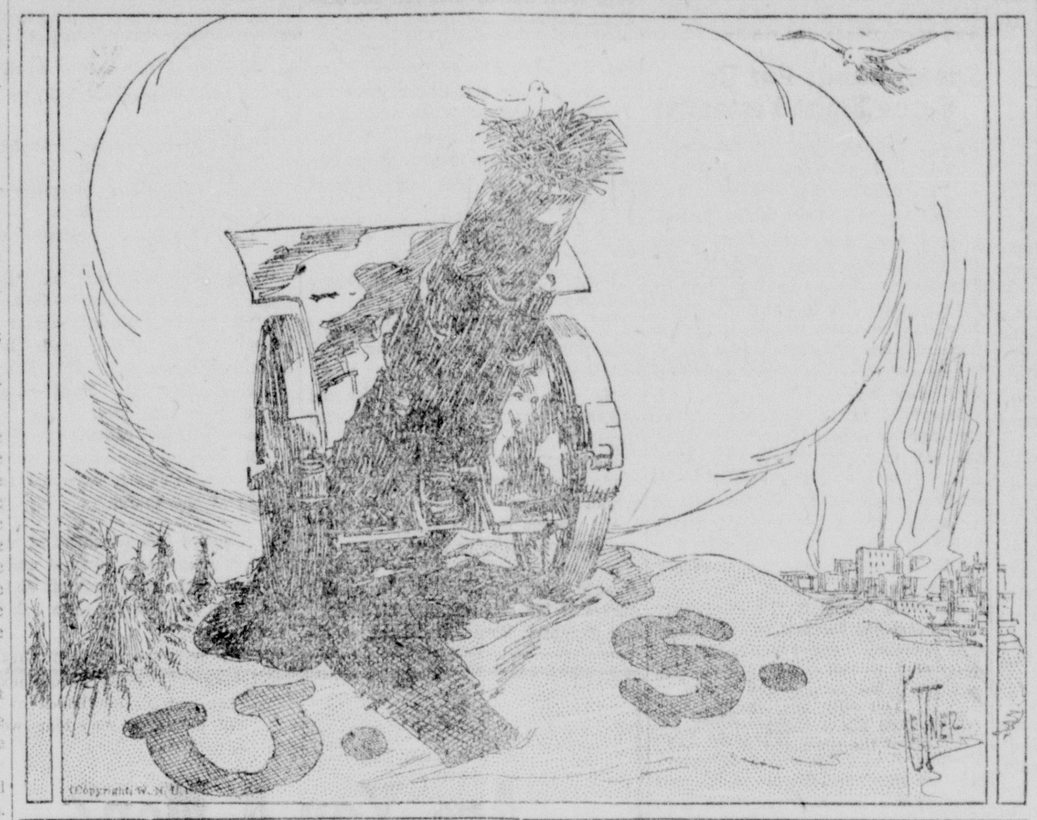

GRAHAM HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The tickets for the Blind Boone Concert to be given Friday, Nov. 16, are selling fast. This is Blind Boone's forty-second successful season and he is still the most popular negro pianist. Many of our grandparents can remember having heard him play when they were young. He has a remarkable memory and can play anything he hears played. Graham is very fortunate in securing so celebrated a musician.

Bertil Hanson was absent from school Wednesday.

Graham and Guilford played basketball on the Graham court Friday evening. The Guilford boys won from Graham with a score of 28 to 37 and the Guilford girls won from the Graham girls with a score of 9 to 34.

The Eurekans will give their first literary program Friday afternoon. The program is as follows:

Piano solo—Thelma Robertson.
School paper—Ruth Decker.
Song—Girls of Society.
Cornet solo—Kenneth Greeson.
Reading—Louise Gex.
Piano solo—Clara Marcus.

A new teacher has been secured for the high school. Public speaking, music and penmanship are being put in as the new subjects.

The senior box supper has been postponed until November 23.

GRADE NOTES.

Miss Mildred Smith, nutrition specialist, visited the grade rooms last Friday.

The primary children are very busy making sewing cards and coloring Thanksgiving pictures.

The children in grades three and four have completed a Cinderella poster.

Doris Schmidt was absent from school Monday on account of illness.

Those who have a perfect record in third and fourth grades spelling classes so far are: Glen Stiverson, Jesse Kennedy, Billy Logan, Eva Schull, James Eckles, Maxine Ashworth, Curtus Weston, Jeanne Miller, Genevieve Markham, Lorene Chappel, Ruth Shull, Florence Leeper and Doris Schmidt.

COMMUNITY NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. John Owens entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Iva D. Owens and family of Mound City, Mrs. Richard Bankson of Elwood, Kan., a sister of Mr. Owens, and Mrs. Urs, M. Wiko of Garden City, Kan., an aunt of Mrs. Owens.

Ulysses Anderson of Maryville was an afternoon caller at John Owens' Sunday.

Alice Barr spent Sunday night with Maxine Kaufman.

Miss Birdie Ray and Miss Hansel visited the Stoughten Hayzlett home Sunday.

Frank Adkins has been sick for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Stoughten Hayzlett and daughter, Ruth and Ruth Linville were in Maryville Saturday.

Dale Acklin left for Columbia University Saturday evening to attend school.

Miss Maxine Kaufman has returned from the St. Joseph hospital.

GREEN VALLEY NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Farnan and family spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Farnan.

There was no school Thursday and Friday of last week.

Miss Beatrice Woods spent Sunday afternoon at the home of C. F. Farnan.

Several of the farmers are husking corn around Green Valley.

Leonard Schieber has been absent from school the last week on account of sickness.

Mrs. F. Koppen and daughter, Bernice and Rose Welderholt of Clyde visited W. H. Ellerman's Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mattson and little daughter, Frances visited at the home of John Schieber and family Sunday.

CONCEPTION JUNCTION

Mrs. Coy Stewart and Mrs. Earl Ingram of this place were passengers to Savannah today. They visited Mrs. Dora Buck of Delaney, Ark., who is in the hospital at that place being treated for cancer.

Miss Blanche Silvers and mother and nephew, Jesse Jones, were week-end visitors at Guilford where they visited relatives and friends.

Last Sunday Miss Maude Leininger entertained at 6 o'clock dinner the Misses Faye Knisley, Dolores Ingram, and Claud Thompson, Frank Schafer, Cornelius Brady and Alfred Brady.

The box supper given at the Swinford school last Friday night proved a great success, $43 being cleared. Miss Leona Whorton is the teacher of this school.

The Conception Junction High School basketball team will go to Maryville Saturday to take part in the tournament.

Our basketball team played at Harmony today on the home court.

Mrs. Caroline Weingarth, Beford Ia., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Leininger, this week.

The basketball game with Barnard on the opponent's court resulted in the defeat of our boys. The final score was 15 to 21.

Miss Maude Leininger visited Saturday and Saturday night with Miss Faye Knisley of Albany.

Miss Garland Groom, the grammar grade teacher, visited with home folks in King City over the week end.

Miss Jessie Summers, primary teacher, visited with home folks in Maryville last week-end.

The Excelsior Literary Society of the High School will give its regular program Friday afternoon, November 16.

Quarterly reports were given out to the pupils of the entire school, Monday.

The grammar grades of the public school have a new volley ball which they earned by selling pencils, so now volley ball seems to be the rage.

The Shapley property in Clyde is being moved to Conception Junction this week. It will be placed on the lot across the road south of the school house.

Miss Moreatha Nichols will spend the week end with friends in Stanberry.

The grammar room had a weiner roast Thursday evening after school. It invited the faculty as guests.

Games were played and a good time enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Davis motored to Guilford Wednesday evening.

Mrs. C. Estes, Mrs. J. Hines and Mrs. L. Davis and daughter, Doris, motored to Stanberry Tuesday to do some shopping.

Mr. C. E. Thompson, who was hurt on a freight train on the Chicago Great Western is still in the hospital at St. Joseph, but is doing nicely.

Mr. John Parker was almost run over by a car Tuesday while walking along the road.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Leininger visited friends in St. Joseph last Tuesday.

The Excelsior basketball team will play the Philomathean basketball team on November 14.

Mr. H. H. Toel has been sick the past few days, but she is thought to be improving at present.

Orville Hedges and Frank Schafer were winners of the tennis tournament played by the High School students and faculty.

Had Narrow Escape

Will Kennedy, who is working for John McMahon, had a narrow escape last Friday when he fell from a load of straw and hit his shoulder on the wagon tongue.

Will was hauling some straw to put in the river dam which some men were working on near Maitland. He was standing up on the load when the team of mules which he was driving, became frightened and pulled out of the road and the wagon hit a stump. When the wagon hit the stump the double trees broke and the team kept going and Will fell head first and hit the tongue of the wagon. It was a good thing the team was out of the way when Will fell, as they probably would have become frightened and ran away, dragging Will for some distance.

He was hauling the straw along the bank of the river and the stump was covered with weeds.

Will's shoulder is pretty badly bruised and it will be several days before he will be able to work.—Skidmore News.

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10 Boars, 27 Open and Bred Gilts, 3 Tried Sows—Sired by The Constructor, by Revolution, Oakland Premier, by Big Joe 2d, Captain Defender by Captain, out of Lengthy Princess by Smooth Giant, Miss Justice by Chief Justice 2d, Oakland Premier Monster by Shearer's Monster, and other sows of equal breeding.

This offering is from the best bloodlines the breed can produce. They are March and April farrow and are a good growthy lot. They have been given the double treatment for cholera. You are cordially invited to come and spend the day with me whether you buy or not.

TERMS—Cash; or if time is wanted see the clerk before the sale.

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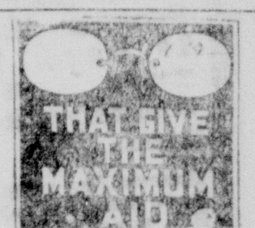

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SHOULD CHANGE COLLEGE SYSTEM

SAYS PROFESSOR IN UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

SHOULD PICK PROFESSORS

Students Best Qualified to Name Instructors and Choose Own Curriculum, He Declares

Berkeley, Cal., Nov. 9—Modern education will have to be reorganized before it can fulfill its highest destiny, according to Professor J. V. Breitweiser, associate professor of education of the University of California.

"College students, on the whole, are better equipped to deal with the actual conditions of life than any other class of people, as is shown by the demand for their services," said Professor Breitweiser, "but the university will never be able to use its full powers to train the student for his life work until faculty, alumni and students co-operate to revolutionize the present scheme of education."

As part of this reorganization Professor Breitweiser believes that the selection, dismissal and promotion of professors should all be in the hands of the students. "It is the student, not some member of the board of managers or directors, who can really gauge a man's ability to teach others,' he said.

"Univeristy affairs, academic as well as social,' he explained, "should be controlled by a group of people selected from both students and faculty. Under the present conditions students have no say in the academic part of university life, but this would make the university a truly democratic and republican body. The continual misunderstanding between faculty and students would soon die out.

Abolish Degrees

"All degrees should be abolished and diplomas awarded solely on the basis of accomplishment," continued Professor Breitweiser. "A college graduate applying for a position, instead of presenting an A. B. degree obtained through cramming, would show a detailed statement of what he has learned at college. Studies should be arranged by a committee of the students who always know more than any professor what thy wish to study and can best realize what subjects best prepare a man or woman for their life work. For example, a course in commercial Spanish would be arranged not by some professor with a vast knowledge of Spanish literature and no idea of business, but by some enterprising alumnus who is engaged in South American trade.

"With the tendency to increase specialized education our colleges have doubled and tripled in practical value," says Professor Breitweiser. "We have colleges of designing, agriculture, medicine, journalism and art, from which students go forth specially trained to follow certain occupations in life. It is our ordinary college of letters and science that needs reorganization."

Rental Classics

By reorganization Dr. Breitweiser does not mean discontinuance of such subjects as Greek and Latin, he said, for if these subjects emphasize not their technique, but their relation to modern civilization, the classics may have practical value. To make college education practical universities must come more in touch with conditions existing in the world, he believes.

"The college year should be divided into quarters, and the student should study only three subjects each quarter," he said. "This would enable him to concentrate upon certain definite lines of work and carry on individual research, which he cannot do if his attention is on half a dozen different courses. All courses should be elective. In this respect we should copy European universities. In such a university the student who does not seek to accomplish anything during his college life would soon drop out."

Professor Breitweiser admits that his plan is rather ideal; but he firmly believes that such a system of education is not far off.

UNION SCHOOL ITEMS

The pupils entertained their parents at the school house Hallowe'en. A short program was given. After the program contest games were played. Refreshments of sandiwches, pickles and pumpkin pie were served.

Miss Eulalia Kysar who teaches the Gaynor school, visited Union school Monday.

Nine men of the district brought their teams and scrapers to the school house Thursday and graded the yard.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pope of Graham spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cook.

The Rev. O. E. Hamilton and E. P. Taggart called at school several times this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Coburn and children of Stanberry visited at the home of Dennis Holaday last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Smith of Graham are going to spend the winter with H. C. Moody and family.

Spoofhounds Put Up Game Fight Yesterday

Maysville Goal Line Is Threatened Several Times—Locals Are Outweighted By Visitors

The Maryville High School Spoofhounds were defeated by the heavy Maryville squad in a 13 to 6 fray. The first touchdown by the Maysville crew resulted in a blocked punt in the first few minutes of the game. A forward pass to Sherdard resulted in a goal and the extra point was added by a place kick.

Maryville again took the aggressive and by superior football worked the ball to within five yards of the goal. This was done five times and on four occasions the ball was lost on a fumble, the other time Maryville failed to make downs. Maryville also fumbled considerable on the receiving end of punts.

Maryville scored in the third quarter by straight football but the Maysville warriors added an additional touchdown in the fourth quarter putting the game on ice.

Maryville played a good game but were defeated. The Maysville team deserves credit for taking advantage of every break and fumble on the part of Maryville and also for clean hard tackles which forced Maryville to lose ground when it was most needed.

Miller and Smith were the most consistant ground gainers on the Spoofhound team, the snagging of forward passes by Miller in the last part of the game was the feature of the game. Willoughby also gained ground by foot work on off tackle smashes.

Bourette, the Maysville quarterback was the fastest man on the field, often breaking away for open field runs.

Maryville plays the high touted Savannah team on Savannah soil next week.

JUSTICE HALTS TRIAL TO PERFORM NUPTIALS

Lima, Ohio, Nov. 9—A wedding may be more important than a trial. This apparently, is the judgment of Justice of the Peace William H. Guyton.

A jury case was in progress in Justice Guyton's court. It was halted, however, by the squire until he performed the ceremony uniting in wedlock Miss Edna MacKile, 19, and Walter Martin, 29, carpenter, in the presence of attorneys and jurors as spectators.

The Stokes' case in New York merely shows how easy it would be to entangle legal lights in Oklahoma.—Tulsa Oklahoma World.

Women are to carry canes this winter. Economical ones of a positive nature, are permitted to raise their own.

MOWERY NEWS

Miss Libbie Dalrymple of Pickering stayed all night with Miss Elsie McGuire.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lewis of Orrsburg spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Shan McGuire.

Mrs. Lizzie McGuire visited Tuesday with Mrs. Shan McGuire.

Brice Richard and Robert Rice visited Mowery school Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Libbie Dalrymple from Pickering was out to visit the Mowery school Monday.

Ruth Hinton visited the Mowery school last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hinton visited J. Lamport's last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Robinson and daughter Violet spent Sunday with Mr. J. L. Neal's.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Simmons and daughter, Maxine spent Sunday with Mr. J. C. Simmons.

Wilbur Simmons and Gerald Hewitt made a nail box for the use of the school Monday.

Mr. George Neal is chopping wood and getting ready to saw.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Berkey and son Jimmie were dinner and afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pistole and daughter, Verna, Sunday.

Baptists Will Give Musical Program

The Sunday School orchestra of the Baptist Church, assisted by members of the choir, will give a program at 8 o'clock tonight at the church under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary. The following program will be presented:

"Magic Five Overture"—Orchestra.
Devotional—Mrs. Ford.
Hymns, with cornet obligato — Orchestra and Theo Breedlove.
"The Prodigal Son"—Ladies' quartet.
"A Song of the Sea," and "Somewhere a Voice Is Calling"—Orchestra.
"One Fleeting Hour," cornet and violin—Herman Miller and Lester Loomis.
"Clinging to His Hand"—Ladies' quartet with orchestra.
Readings—Prof. Miller.
"Ole South"—Orchestra.
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Mount Vernon

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Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Tanner, Miss Fletta Smith, and H. D. Moon spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Tanner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Mitchell and family were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Shell and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mitchell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jenson and family, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Michaelson and son, Jesse, Sunday.

Roland and Dale McGinness spent Sunday afternoon with Albert Damgar

Miss Opal Ashford called at the Damgar home Monday evening.

James Patterson sawed wood Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kluth, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Griffey and family went to St. Joseph Monday to attend the revival meeting there.

Pete Damgar and P. E. Ashford sawed wood Wednesday.

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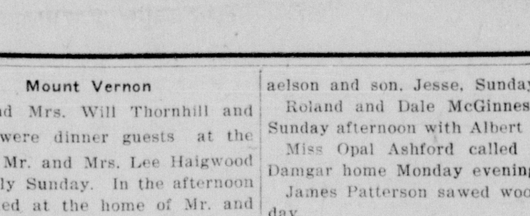

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